STIKEMAN ELLIOTT

Stikeman Elliott LLP Barristers & Solicitors

Suite 1600, 50 O'Connor Street, Ottawa, Canada K1P 6L2 Tel: (613) 234-4555 Fax: (613) 230-8877 www.stikeman.com

November 14, 2003

Box New Patent Application The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 U.S.A.

Dear Sir:

New U.S. Patent Application RE:

PAD-TYPE IDLER FOR CONVEYOR BELTS

Inventors: BOUDREAU, Jean-Marc

Our File: 109759-1004

Enclosed is a new U.S. patent application including:

- 1) specification pages 1 to 4
- 2) claims 1-14
- an abstract 3)
- formal drawing of Figs. 1-5 4)
- a Declaration and Power of Attorney 5)
- payment in the amount of \$385.00 US for the official filing fee charged 6) to Deposit Account No. 502659

Yours sincerely,

OTTAWA

MONTREAL TORONTO

Eugene F. Derényi

Reg. No. 52,409

VANCOUVER

CALGARY

NEW YORK LONDON

HONG KONG

SYDNEY

EFD/eml Encl.